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**CATALYTIC REDUCTION SYSTEMS AND METHODS**

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the following references:

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Copies of the above-listed foreign references are enclosed, together with a completed form PTO-1449.

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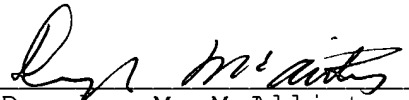
Consideration of these references by the Examiner is respectfully requested. To date, a first Office Action on the merits has not been received in connection with this application. This Information Disclosure Statement is therefore believed to be timely filed.

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